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BRYAN OUTLINED PEACE AGREEMENT

LAID PRELIMINARY PLAN
BEFORE THE SENATE
COMMITTEE

DEVELOPED OPPOSITION

BRYAN THINKS ELABORATION
OF PLAN WILL BE FAVOR-
ABLY RECEIVED AL-
THOUGH OPPOSED

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.—Secretary Bryan's preliminary outline of a proposed international peace agreement which he laid before the Senate foreign relations committee today, developed wide differences of opinion. Nevertheless it was understood that with the endorsement of President Wilson, Secretary Bryan will soon undertake to open negotiations with the leading powers for such treaties as the proposal contemplates.

At the end of a two-hour conference with senators, Bryan left the capitol saying he had an idea the committee would consider favorably elaborations of the plan. It has developed, however, that some of the committee, both democrats and republicans, were opposed to the idea of the United States binding itself by an international agreement not to prepare for war during a specified period while the dispute is in progress. Bryan said he would confer with President Wilson soon and later make a public statement.

Briefly, Bryan's plan is that the United States make treaties under which disputes, even those involving the national honor or vital interest be submitted before an international board of inquiry and that disputing countries should agree to take no steps whatever toward preparation for war within a specified time of six months or one year in extent, to which other nations have been sounded on the proposition now made public.

Installed as Head of DePauw GREENCASTLE, Ind., April 23.—Greencastle was garbed in old gold today, marking the inauguration of a new president of DePauw University, the Rev. Dr. George R. Grose, formerly pastor of Grace M. E. Church, Baltimore. Hugh Dougherty of Indianapolis, president of the board of trustees, presented the symbols of authority, the keys and charter of the University, to the new president, whom he formally introduced to a large assemblage of spectators. Vice President Charles M. Fairbanks presided at the exercises and President W. O. Thompson of Ohio State University delivered the oration of the day. Congratulatory addresses were delivered by the heads of a number of leading colleges and universities.

The new president of DePauw, who succeeds Bishop Francis F. McConnell, is a native of West Virginia. He graduated at Ohio Wesleyan University and received his theological training at the Boston University School of Theology.

Philatelic Congress in Edinburgh EDINBURGH, April 23.—The 5th annual congress of the Philatelic Societies of Great Britain was formally opened in Edinburgh today under the auspices of the Scottish Philatelic Society. Coincident with the congress there is being held a mammoth exhibition of rare and valuable stamps from all parts of the world.

Iowa Electricians Meet WATERLOO, Ia., April 23.—A large attendance marked the opening here today of the thirteenth annual convention of the Iowa Electrical Association. The forenoon was occupied with the work of organization. At the afternoon session E. M. Walker of Dubuque addressed the association on the subject of welfare work and the relations between employers and employees. The convention will conclude tomorrow.

RAILWAY FIREMEN SECURE INCREASE

TEN TO TWELVE PER CENT
INCREASE IN PAY
AWARDED

By Associated Press
NEW YORK, April 23.—Railroad firemen have been granted an increase in pay estimated at from 10 to 12 per cent by award of the Federal arbitration board in their case handed down tonight, and the demand for two firemen on big locomotives was denied.

Face and Head of Typical Police Grafter



NEW YORK, April 23.—Patrolman Thomas F. Robinson has the typical face and head of the New York police grafter. He has just been convicted in the New York courts for extortion. He is the first policeman to suffer on this charge, which District Attorney Whitman has been investigating since the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, last July.

Four inspectors, the highest uniformed officers in the police department of 10,000 men, are under indictment. Several other patrolmen and others connected with the extortion practiced on vice and the liquor business by policemen are yet to be tried.

Negroes' Aid Conference

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 23.—Senator Clapp of Minnesota, Bishop Coppin of the A. M. E. church, Judge Wendell Stafford of Washington, D. C., President Hope of Atlanta Baptist College and several other men of prominence are scheduled as speakers at the fifth annual conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, which assembled in this city today for a three days' session. Among the subjects to be discussed are the new "Abolition Movement," "The Struggle for Land and Property," "The Problem of Work and Wages," and "The New Southern Attitude."

Official to Enforce Pure Food Law



Francis G. Caffery, the new solicitor of the Department of Agriculture, is heir to all the trouble left by his predecessor, George P. McCabe, whose efforts, with those of Dr. Frederick L. Dunsap, caused the resignation of Dr. Harvey W. Wiley. It will become his work to enforce the law which Dr. Wiley failed to have carried into the courts.

Solicitor McCabe, with Dr. Dunsap, constituted two-thirds of the Food Inspection board of the department. Both resigned shortly after President Wilson was inaugurated. When in a given case Dr. Wiley, the third member of the board, announced a decision, Dr. Dunsap and McCabe usually voted against him and the case was not prosecuted. The board of chemistry, of which Dr. Wiley was the head, spent \$1,196,784 in preparing evidence of food law violations, or about \$215 per case for some 5,266 cases.

WILSON DIRECTS BRYAN TO PROCEED

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THAT HE GO IMMEDI-
ATELY CALIFORNIA

WILL HELP SOLVE PROBLEM

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LUTION OF DIFFICULT PRO-
BLEM OF FORMING ALIEN
LAND LAW

Special to Daily News

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.—After an hour's conference, Wilson directed Secretary Bryan to proceed immediately to Sacramento and co-operate with Governor Johnson and the California legislature in framing a law regarding alien land ownership that would not conflict with treaty obligations. Bryan stated he was going in the hope of effecting the best solution of the difficulty possible.

Caroline Veterans at Aiken AIKEN, S. C., April 23.—The battle scarred flags of the old Confederacy, festooning the portraits of Gen. Robert E. Lee and other leaders, were freely in evidence here today for the annual reunion of the South Carolina division of the United Confederate Veterans. The initial session was held this morning, with Gen. B. H. Teague, the division commander, presiding. The reunion will last two days and will be marked by several elaborate features of entertainment.

PLANS FOR CANAL OPENING

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Colonel Goethals, chief engineer of the Panama Canal, in a report to the War Department yesterday, reiterated the hope he expressed some time ago, that he would pass a ship through the canal before the close of the present year. The statement came in response to an inquiry from Secretary Garrison as to whether it would be possible to grant the request of Captain Amundsen, explorer, that he be allowed to use the ship Fram through the canal.

WEALTHY WITNESS

EVADING ARREST
MILLIONAIRE SOUGHT AS
WITNESS IN PROCURING
CASE

By Associated Press

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 23.—George H. Bixby, a millionaire of Long Beach, wanted as a witness in the case of Mrs. Josie Rosenberg, alleged procurer for wealthy California men, was sought tonight by detectives with a bench warrant.

Although under subpoena, he failed to appear in court at the trial today.

WANT MONTENEGRO RELEASE SCUTARI

A U S T R I A - H U N G A R Y
DEMANDS POWERS FORCE
MONTENEGRO

By Associated Press

LONDON, England, April 23.—Austria-Hungary has made definite proposals to the powers to compel Montenegro to evacuate Scutari. The proposal is thought to be unwelcome by the powers.

Shakespeare's Memory Kept Green

LONDON, April 23.—In accordance with time-honored custom the 349th anniversary of the birth of Shakespeare was observed today at Stratford-on-Avon, the birthplace of the immortal bard. The old-world town was the scene for hundreds of representatives of Shakespearean societies throughout the United Kingdom, among the number being many celebrated literary and dramatic lights.

Jack Johnson to the Bar

CHICAGO, Ill., April 23.—After numerous delays and postponements Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist, was arraigned today before Judge Carpenter, in the United States District Court, to be tried on a charge of smuggling. The indictment is based on an alleged act of Johnson in bringing a diamond necklace into this country from England without paying duty. The pugilist is also under indictment on a charge of violating the Mann White Slave Act. His trial on this charge is set for early next month.

The WEATHER

Thursday
At 7 a. m. 54 At 1 p. m. 54
Maximum 58 Minimum 47
1912 max. 69 1912 min. 47
Total precipitation, 1.56.

Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.—West Texas: Cloudy Thursday; cooler south and central portions; Friday, fair; rain; temperature north portion.

MONTENEGRINS CAPTURE SCUTARI

FORTRESS TAKEN AFTER
LONG AND DESPERATE
ATTACK

DESPERATE RESISTANCE

TURKS DEFENDED STUBBORN-
LY—THOUSANDS LOST ON
BOTH SIDES—GREAT HE-
ROISM DISPLAYED

By Associated Press

CETTINJE, Montenegro, April 23.—Montenegrins captured Scutari at 4 o'clock this morning, after a final desperate attack lasting 24 hours. The fortress offered stubborn resistance for six months. Montenegrins captured it in direct defiance of orders of the Great Powers.

The final assault began Monday night, when the entire Montenegrin army took the offensive. They completely surprised the Turks, pushed right up to the Turkish position, where they engaged in bayonet fighting. The Turks at first made desperate resistance, but at last fell back, leaving the Montenegrins conquerors of the fortress.

The Turkish army is estimated at 10,000, under command of Essad Pasha. The Montenegrins are said to have lost 3,000, and the Turks 5,000 killed, during the siege. The civilian population of Scutari includes 27,000 Mohammedans and 8,000 Christians.

Alamo Mission Monument.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 23.—An impression has got about in different parts of the state that the Alamo Heroes' Monument Association proposes tearing down the old Alamo Mission and erecting the monument on that spot. This could not be done if it was desired, for the Alamo Mission and the old fortress belong to the state and are guarded with jealous integrity.

The exact site for the Alamo Heroes' Monument has not been decided further than that it will be erected on ground hallowed by the blood of some of the brave men that gave up their lives in its defense. There is ample property near which to erect without seeking to obtain state property. The monument may be erected on property donated by the city of San Antonio or on some other site purchased expressly for the monument.

ASK TIME FOR DISSOLUTION OF MERGER

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.—Attorneys for the Union Pacific will file a motion before the supreme court tomorrow for an extension of three months' limit for the dissolution of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific merger.

BELIEVE WILSON CHANGE ATTITUDE

CALIFORNIANS THINK PRES-
IDENT WILL MODIFY
HIS VIEWS

By Associated Press

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 23.—Doubt is felt here today as to the probable course President Wilson will take in reference to the proposed split of Secretary Bryan to Sacramento after messages received from Wilson. Prior to the time that news was received that Bryan would start here on tomorrow, several legislators expressed the belief that the President would change his attitude because of messages sent to Washington.

The bill will not be ready for a final vote until next Monday. Legislators still hold to the policy that the legislature has full authority to enact any law it wishes.

Rescuer of Titanic Waifs a Bride

NEW YORK, April 23.—Miss Margaret Harris, the wealthy young woman who figured prominently in the public prints a year ago as the rescuer of the two French children, Michael and Edmond Savard, who were saved from the Titanic, on which their father was lost, today became the bride of Dr. Charles D. Easton of Newport. The wedding took place in St. Thomas's church, the Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires, officiating, and was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes, in West Eighty-third street.

UNDERWOOD OPENED HOUSE TARIFF DEBATE

Predicted Nation Would Find Relief
Through Passage of Pend-
ing Bill

REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER PARTIES OFFER CRITICISM

GARDNER EXPRESSED VIEWS OF REPUBLICANS, KELLY
REPRESENTED PROGRESSIVES, AND MONDELL WAS
SEVERE IN DENOUNCING BILL AND PRESIDENT

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.—Beginning the debate in the House today on tariff revision, Chairman Underwood predicted relief for the Nation through the passage of the pending bill; Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, voiced the republican skepticism for the country's future under such a tariff and Representative Kelly of Pennsylvania, expressed the opposition of the progressive party to all tariff bills framed under the present system.

Underwood in outlining the bill, severely criticised the protective tariff theory based on the difference in the cost of production at home and abroad, and said the American industry based on a competitive tariff theory would be strengthened, and American products would be sent to all the markets of the world. He denounced the raising of taxes by the protective system as unjust because, he said, it taxed equally the millionaire and the workingman. He pointed out that the rates of the pending bill were substantial reductions from the existing rates, and declared that lower rates would result in reduction of the cost of living. He did not discuss the income tax feature of the bill.

Representative Gardner admitted that the people of the Nation had repudiated the Payne tariff and that the republican party had been dislodged from power because it had been too slow to recognize the growing evils and had permitted a "far too powerful oligarchy" to run the government its way instead of the way of the people.

He cautioned the democrats to live up to their promises to the people, declaring the people would otherwise turn to the new progressive party.

Representative Kelly criticised the present method of tariff legislation. He said the Underwood bill was "framed on the basis of insufficient information and on political logrolling," and declared the solution of the tariff problem will only be found in placing the tariff in the hands of a capable non-partisan commission.

Representative Mondell of Wyoming, attacked the bill, which he characterized as an "uncanny commission of every evil form of democratic heresy." He also attacked President Wilson's activity in connection with the bill.

Women Dress as Lunatics



"I walked down Fifth avenue in New York the other day," said King, the writer of fiction, told a Boston reporter, "and I noticed that I must have been at a lunatic asylum in a lunatic asylum. The women wore the maddest and most daring costumes I ever saw. I felt as if I had been looking at a crazy picture. I have no doubt this affects the people sentenced to watch it day after day."

"We used to understand that as civilization progressed the tendency was for women to cover up their bodies more. Now the tendency seems to be reversed. The gaudy and weird clothing worn by women kills everything except their figures, and with their hats obscures whatever spiritual qualities they may have in their faces."

MANY LIVES LOST IN GAS EXPLOSION

NEARLY ONE HUNDRED
MINERS KILLED IN
COAL MINE

By Associated Press

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 23.—Between 70 and 100 miners, it is believed lost their lives this afternoon as a result of a gas explosion in the Chesapeake mine of the Monaca-heli River Consolidated Coal and Coke Co., at Finleyville, near here. About 70 made their escape however, some badly burned.

The bodies of several victims have been recovered.

The mine is aflame and rescue work is carried on with difficulty, owing to the fire and deadly gases. Business in Finleyville is suspended and the entire community has rushed to the ill-fated mine to rescue those who are thought to be still buried.

FIVE ARE KILLED IN MINE ACCIDENT

CAGES FELL WHEN ENGI-
NEER LOST CONTROL
OF MACHINERY

By Associated Press

BUTTE, Mont., April 23.—Five miners were killed and nine injured in an accident in an old shaft of the Leonard mine of the Anaconda Copper Company this morning.

Two cages fell, one 2,000 feet, the other 800, when the engineer lost control of the hoisting machinery.